

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q66643

Patrick CHOLLET

Appln. No.: 10/501,718

Group Art Unit: 3725

Confirmation No.: 2215

Examiner: To be assigned

Filed: January 07, 2002

For: DEVICE FOR TREATING A CONTAINER WITH MICROWAVE PLASMA

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT and**  
**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, and prior to examination,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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Dear Examiner Alejandro:

As requested in today's telephone call, faxed herewith are a copy of the Response to Non-Compliant Amendment and Preliminary Amendment, as well as a copy of the date-stamped filing receipt, previously filed on December 7, 2004.

Please do not hesitate to contact us for any additional information and/or documentation you may require.

Sincerely,

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1. Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment and Preliminary Amendment
2. Request for Refund (w/copy of canceled check No. 184411 dated October 24, 2001, application transmittal letter dated October 24, 2001, and date stamped filing receipt of October 24, 2001; and copy of August 16, 2004 Statement of Deposit Account showing charge to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 on August 16, 2004 for Government Filing Fee)

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